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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: David Pinsky, David Stern and Shi-Fang Yang

Serial No.: 09/648,389 Group Art Unit: 1635

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For : METHODS FOR SUPPRESSING EARLY GROWTH RESPONSE-1

PROTEIN (EGR-1) TO REDUCE VASCULAR INJURY IN A

SUBJECT

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August 17, 2004

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR AN ADDITIONAL ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby request an additional one-month extension of time for filing a response to the February 17, 2004 Final Office Action. A response to the Office Action was originally due May 17, 2004. Applicants filed a Communication in Response to February 17, 2004 Final Office Action on July 19, 2004 along with a request for a two-month extension of time. The fee for an additional one-month extension of time is TWO HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIVE DOLLARS (\$265.00) for a small entity and a check for that amount is enclosed. With the additional one-month extension, a response to the February 17, 2004 Final Office Action is due August 17, 2004. Accordingly, the subject application is pending today for the purpose of filing a Notice of Appeal.

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No fee, other than the enclosed \$265.00 fee for an additional one-month extension, is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Petition. However, if any additional fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

Respectfully submitted,

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